

# GRANT AWARD APPROVAL FORM

**1. OFFICIAL NAME OF GRANT PROGRAM:**

Date of SBE Approval of Grant Criteria 7-24-03

2004--2005      NCLB-Title II Statewide Activities  
(years)      (years)      (title)

Type: ☐ Initial    ☐ Amendment    ☒ Continuation

Legislation Authorizing This Grant Program: No Child Left Behind Act of 2001, Title II Part A

☒ Federal Grant: CFDA Number 84.367A      ☐ State Grant      ☐ Other (Private, Foundation)

**2. Purpose of Grant Program:** The resources will allow teachers an opportunity to post their resumes and offer content expertise to other teachers. Local school districts and public school academies can use the system for recruitment purposes.

**Type of Grant Program: (check one)**

☐ Competitive  
☐ Formula  
☒ Other: (specify below)  
Best Source

**3. SBE Priorities and Policies That This Grant Program Supports: (check all that apply)**

Priorities

Policies

☐ Other: (specify below)

- ☐ Integrating Communities and Schools  
☐ Elevating Educational Leadership  
☐ Embracing the Information Age  
☐ Ensuring Early Childhood Literacy  
☒ Ensuring Excellent Educators

- ☐ Bullying  
☐ Character Education  
☒ Creating Effective Learning Environments  
☐ Family Involvement  
☐ Safe Schools

**4. Grant Categories (if not described in Item 2):** ☒ NOT APPLICABLE

**5. Target Population to be Served by Grant:**

Elementary and secondary teachers, school professional personnel and school administrators.

**6. Total Funds Awarded:**

\$87,908

**7. Eligible Applicants:**

Local districts, higher education institutions, professional organizations.

**8. Description of Priorities Given to Any Specific Population or Location:** ☒ NOT APPLICABLE

**9. Grant Administration:**

<u>Office</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Contact</u>	<u>Phone</u>
Office of Prof. Prep. Services	Administrative Unit	Flora L. Jenkins	36505

Prepared by: Flora L. Jenkins

Phone Number: 36505

**10. OFFICE**

Office Director Approval Signature: \_\_\_\_\_



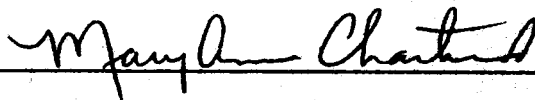
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Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

**11. GRANTS OFFICE**

Grants Office Approval Signature: \_\_\_\_\_



Date: \_\_\_\_\_

11/28/05

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

**13. SUPERINTENDENT**

Superintendent Approval Signature: \_\_\_\_\_



Date: \_\_\_\_\_

12-1-05

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

**INSTRUCTIONS**

A. Complete items 1-10 on this form. The Grants Administration and Coordination Unit will facilitate completion of items 11-14.

B. Attach three (3) sets of Exhibits A, B, and C.

Exhibit A---List of applicants (alphabetical order) recommended for funding, the amount requested, the amount recommended, and a three to five sentence abstract of the proposal.

Exhibit B---List of applicants (alphabetical order) not recommended for funding and the amount each requested.

Exhibit C---Map of Michigan indicating the location of recommended applicants. Link to:

<http://mdeintranet/inside/off/grants/grants.htm> for sample maps.

C. Attach the grant award letters for the Superintendent's signature and the non-award letters for the Service Area Director's signature. The letters should be submitted in the same order given in Exhibit A and/or B. For each final Grant Award Notification letter, a Grant Award Notification form (yellow sheet) also needs to be submitted for the Superintendent's signature.

D. Transmit Grant Award Approval Form (pink), attachments, and letters to the Grants Administration and Coordination Unit.

## **ATTACHMENT A**

### **GRANT #**

**THE MERIT CORPORATION**

Requested: \$87,908.00    Awarded: \$87,908.00

The Merit Corporation will develop an interactive online system, the Michigan Educator Talent Bank, to receive and display vacancies for teaching positions by district, including appropriate contact information, and to post teacher resumes to be matched to the available teaching positions. The Merit Corporation will support the system during the initial implementation phase.